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TAKES STRONG STAND.

Hon. Owen Tyler, who has just announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Mayor, thus sets forth his attitude toward the enforcement of the law:

"If nominated and elected Mayor of Louisville, I will enforce the laws without fear or favor and with due regard to the rights of every citizen."

This is all the people expect from any Mayor, and if the foregoing is faithfully observed the Chief Executive of the city will have a progressive and successful administration.

DON'T STRIKE.

People throughout the city are earnest in the hope that there will be no strike of the street car men next week. These troubles are detrimental to business and may lead to serious results. There is no difference between the Louisville Railway Company and its employees that can not be adjusted without resorting to extreme measures. Both sides should come together and if necessary make concessions. The company is organized and the men should be organized. Organized labor, like organized capital, gives the safest and best service, and this is what the public demands. Get together, gentlemen, and effect an amicable and lasting settlement that all will observe.

IRISH SPLIT.

The press in general has given much space of late to the situation in Ireland and the menace of those who would disrupt the Nationalist party. There are some soreheads who would promulgate the split among the Irish of America, who are thus aptly described by a Nebraska Irishman in a letter to the Chicago Citizen:

"You may talk as you will of Scotland yard, and England's army of paid spies, but all of them together have done less harm to Ireland than the tribe of mongrels who seem to live only to breed dissension and disunion among Irishmen. Ireland a nation can never be content with a British charter. She has her own charter, given by God Almighty, but she wants her sons to use their brain and brawn in demanding its recognition by the world. They will never succeed in achieving that result by devoting their energies to damning one another."

There is much in the foregoing that we would commend to the editor of the Gaelic American, who we hope to see abandon his abusive and vindictive course.

WILL LESSEN EVIL.

Tomorrow the most drastic law relating to the divorce evil ever enacted in New York will go into effect. It provides that a married person guilty of the statutory offense commits a misdemeanor and on conviction subjects himself or herself to imprisonment in a penitentiary or county jail for not more than six months, or to a fine of not more than \$250, or to both. Rev. Father Curry expressed the opinion that "if its essential purpose is to make infidelity an indictable criminal offense the bill can hardly fail to do good, in a corrective way. Its wholesome effect, in these times of moral laxity, when the ties of family life seem less strictly regarded than they used to be, can not be overestimated. It bears directly upon the sanctity of home and motherhood. The statutory misconduct which it aims to punish is a crime and a maker of criminals, and should be sternly repressed. There should be no more danger of malicious invocation of this statute than of any other operative in the Penal Code, as no doubt the amount of corroborative evidence required for a conviction will be as usual ample to protect the innocent from persecution. At the same time, the publicity which it will shed upon the guilty should act as a powerful deterrent on the divorce evil." Strange as it may seem, the strongest opposition to the new law came from ministers and lawyers.

BRYAN AND LABOR.

William Jennings Bryan has declared for compulsory arbitration in the settlement of labor disputes, believing that in this way the public welfare would be conserved. For years we have favored arbitration and opposed strikes and lock-outs, which are always costly and should be resorted to only when arbitration has failed.

"The greatest need of the laboring man in this country at this time is arbitration," says Mr. Bryan, "for

this would enable him to secure the shorter hours for which he contends and would prevent the strikes which have brought the writ of injunction into use. There is no more reason why the laboring man should be left to enforce this contention by an idleness that throws the burden upon himself and his family than there would be to return to the vager of battle as a means of settling law suits. While improved machinery has increased the number of workers and raised the grade of their employment it has also brought about conditions under which the superintendent is so far removed from the individual worker that the personal relationship is greatly weakened. Justice must therefore be secured by a resort to some impartial court. It is not necessary that the finding of the board shall be binding upon the parties to the dispute. If there is compulsory investigation at the request of either party public opinion may be relied upon to enforce the conclusion reached by the arbitrators. The President has recently called attention to the importance of this subject, and as the Democratic party has in three national platforms urged the importance of arbitration, there is reason to hope that it is near at hand."

State elections will take place in November in several States, among them Rhode Island, where the Republicans will endeavor to displace Gov. Higgins, and in New Jersey, which the Democrats hope to regain. Maryland also is apt to witness a close contest between the parties. Here in Kentucky Hon. A. E. Willson is making a strong canvass and the Republicans seem confident of victory with him as their leader.

The double dealing and duplicity of Governor General Sweetenham has been fully exposed, and the President's commendation of the conduct of Admiral Davis at Kingston will please all Americans. The inside history of the whole affair has just been made public and leaves England and her Governor General in an unenviable plight.

The burned district of San Francisco has been almost rebuilt, nearly \$100,000,000 worth of new structures having been erected or are nearing completion. Prices of building material are going down and the balance of the work of rehabilitation will be pushed. Nob Hill, the rich residence section, makes the poorest showing.

IRISH ATHLETES FIRST.

Up one side and down the other did the Irish-Americans trounce the New York Athletic Club stars at Travers Island Saturday afternoon. By a score of 87 to 48 points, in the Metropolitan championships, they showed the wearers of the "mercury foot" that green is a great color to perform under and the "winged fist" a hard hitter. The Irish-American athletes carried off first honors in a majority of the track events and led in six of the seven field contests. The surprise was the defeat of former champion Flanagan by M. P. McGrath throwing the sixteen-pound hammer.

FORTY HOURS.

Tomorrow morning at the high mass at St. Frances of Rome church in Clifton the forty hours prayer will begin and continue until Tuesday. Rev. Thomas White has made every preparation for these devotions, which are among the most beautiful and beneficial of the church, and will be assisted by numbers of the local clergy. At the solemn vespers and benediction in the evening one of the most forceful and eloquent pulpits orators will preach the sermon.

HURT PLAYING BALL.

Halsey Malone, who is spending the summer with his parents at Bay View, Mich., met with a painful accident while playing in a ball game there last week. In running for a foul fly ball Malone and the catcher collided, the former being badly bruised and sustaining a fractured jaw. His father, John T. Malone, has a cottage there, where the boy was taken and is now doing nicely. Young Malone is a fine ball player and this was his first accident.

ALBIN COMPANY SUED.

Suit was filed Wednesday against the Albin Company for \$250 for services rendered by Judge Matt O'Doherty three years ago. The company has been conducting an installment furniture house.

LADIES' EUCHE.

The ladies of St. Columba's church announce a euchre and reception for Monday, September 9, to which they invite all their friends, promising them a number of valuable prizes and a most enjoyable evening.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.



For Governor, AUGUSTUS E. WILLSON, of Louisville.
For Lieutenant Governor, WILLIAM H. COX, of Maysville.
For Attorney General, JAMES BRIDGEMAN, of Hopkinsville.
For Auditor, FRANK P. JAMES, of Harrodsburg.
For Treasurer, CAPTAIN EDWARD FARLEY, of Paducah.
For Secretary of State, DR. BEN L. BRUNER, of Munfordsville.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction, PROF. J. G. CRABBE, of Ashland.
For Clerk of the Court of Appeals, NAPIER ADAMS, of Somerset.
For Commissioner of Agriculture, M. C. RANKIN, of Bethlehem, Henry county.
For R. R. Commissioner, Third Dist. A. T. SILVER, of Whitley county.

SOCIETY.

Miss Altha Mahoney has been visiting relatives near New Haven.

Miss Lizzie McCloud has gone East and will spend next week in New York.

Mrs. Jennie Dawson has returned from a visit to relatives at New Haven.

Miss Florence Peake was last week the guest of Mrs. William Hagan at Holy Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Schene have returned after a stay of several weeks at Basin Springs.

Louis Sieveking, of New Albany, has been spending the week at French Lick Springs.

Miss Babe Hatti left Sunday night for Henderson to spend several weeks visiting friends.

Misses Mollie and Lily Keiran spent last week in Detroit and are now the guests of friends in Cincinnati.

The Misses Keaney, of 1213 Morton avenue, who have been East for the past two weeks, have returned home.

Miss Mary McGinn and her sister, Mrs. George B. Shrader, of New Albany, visited friends at Corydon this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Louis Broring will arrive home next week from a visit to Atlantic City and other Eastern points.

Misses Carrie Hurl and Mary Carney, who have been spending two weeks at Chicago, will return home Monday.

Misses Winifred and Margaret McLaughlin, of New Albany, have gone to Elizabethtown to spend a week with relatives.

Miss Carmel Mahoney has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Joseph Pottinger, at Howardstown, Nelson county.

Miss Allie Grace, of Lexington, who has been spending the week here as the guest of Miss Clea Charlton, will return home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Graves, of 944 Fifth street, are expected home tomorrow after a week's visit to Chicago and Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller, of Eighth and Jefferson, are rejoicing over their first-born—a fine boy—which arrived Wednesday.

David B. Garvey returned last night of the week with his wife and children from Knoxville, Tenn., where they spent the summer with Mrs. Garvey's parents.

The Misses McDermott, of Jeffersonville, entertained at dinner Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs. P. J. Conley, of Chicago, the guest of Miss Anna B. Conley, of Griffiths avenue.

Among those from this city registered last week at the big New York hotels were Messrs. Frank J. Deuser, John J. Crotty, M. J. Gathoff and Mrs. J. K. Leahy and Miss D. Morrissey.

Charles Garrigan and Miss Pauline Roster were united in marriage Tuesday at the home of the bride, 631 First street, Rev. Dr. Turner officiating at the ceremony.

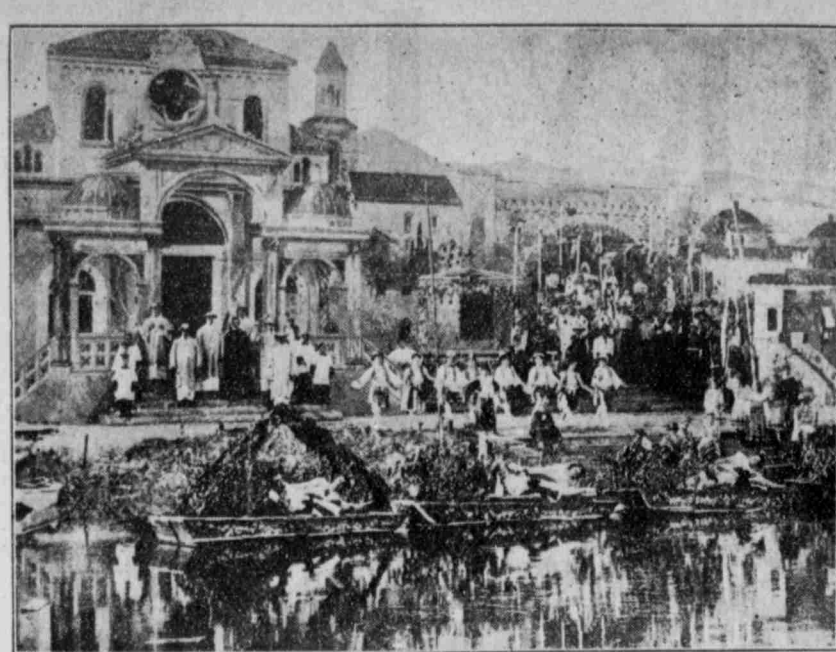
David W. Baird, the well known attorney, and Miss Eleanor Elizabeth Durning were united in marriage on Wednesday by the Rev. Patrick Walsh, of the Sacred Heart church.

Mrs. Harry Veemman and daughter Gertrude, of Baxter avenue, have been visiting at St. Martin, Ohio, for the past ten days, where Mrs. Veemman's sister, Sister Mary Dymphana, is located.

Misses Rosaline and Ella Delaney, the bright little daughters of Mrs. Ella Delaney, 1709 High street, arrived home Thursday after spending three weeks with relatives at Converse, Muncie and Hartford, Ind.

Wednesday morning at St. Anthony's church in Jeffersonville a large gathering of friends witnessed the marriage of Miss Mary Biesel and Edward Coy, a popular foreman at the car works. Until recently the bride was a teacher in the public schools.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McCann and



FEAST DAY IN NAPLES—FIREWORKS AT STATE FAIR.

daughter, Miss Mary, accompanied by Mrs. John L. Martin, have gone on an extended trip up the Kentucky river. On their return they will be entertained at a Dutch supper at the residence of Mrs. A. J. Mann, 915 Washington street.

John P. Cassilly, Circuit Court stenographer, left Thursday for St. Joseph and Benton Harbor. He was accompanied by Miss Lucy Coakley, of this city, and Miss Mamie McAuliffe, of Jeffersonville. They will be away for ten days and will visit Chicago before their return.

Messrs. M. J. Lehrtritter, William Bosler, Henry Schweiters and Nic Bosler, accompanied by their wives, leave tomorrow for Norfolk, where they will attend the national meeting of the Eagles. Before returning they will spend two weeks visiting the Exposition, Philadelphia, New York and Boston.

Mrs. Roger McGrath, wife of the Secretary of the Board of Public Works, who has been seriously ill at her home on Sherwood avenue, was so much improved Thursday that her physician said she was out of danger. Mrs. McGrath lost her infant daughter almost after its birth, and for a time had been in a precarious condition.

William H. Borntrager, the popular drummer, and wife, of 1115 Twenty-first street, will tomorrow entertain a large number of their friends in honor of the christening of their only child, a bright little boy who has just arrived from babyland. The sponsors will be Henry Wempe and Mrs. Barbara Borntrager, grandfather and grandmother of the boy.

One of the prettiest weddings of the summer season was solemnized Wednesday at St. Patrick's church, when the words that United Miss Edith Gilligan and C. R. Head were pronounced by Vicar General Cronin. Miss Gilligan is a vivacious and popular girl of the West End, and the groom is a former well known resident of Owensboro. A reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride, 317 Eighteenth street, after which the couple left for the East, where they are spending their honeymoon.

FATHER DRUFNER'S JUBILEE.

Rev. A. E. Drufer, pastor of the Holy Family church, Price Hill, one of the ablest and most prominent priests of the Cincinnati diocese, celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of his ordination last Tuesday. In deference to the wishes of his parishioners, Father Drufer consented to a modest religious celebration of the important anniversary. High mass of thanksgiving was sung, the jubilee officiating and assisted by several of the local clergy. The jubilee sermon was delivered by Rev. L. A. Tieman, pastor of St. Rose's church. The felicitations of the parish were presented after mass by the Board of Wardens.

VISITORS FROM MONTANA.

Mrs. Myles White and her son, Charles White, of Butte, Mont., arrived in Louisville Saturday, and were the guests of Mr. Charles White, 1223 West Jefferson street. Mrs. White is now the guest of relatives at Fairfield, but will return to Louisville to remain until November, after which she will return to Butte. Mrs. White removed to Butte about five years ago, and is charmed with the climate and the people. Her husband is connected with a big Montana mining concern.

ANSWERS LAST SUMMONS.

Thomas Nugent, aged fifty-two years, died Wednesday morning at his home, 1976 Portland avenue, after a long illness. The deceased was a stone mason and was well known and highly respected in the West End, where he had resided for many years. He leaves a wife and wide circle of relatives. The funeral took place Friday morning with a solemn mass of requiem from St. Patrick's church, of which Mr. Nugent had been a devout member.

CARE FOR THE BOYS.

The Passionist priests have taken new steps for the care of boys and their labors will extend over a wide field. Rev. Father Benedict, of the Passionist Retreat on the Newburg road, left Thursday for Cincinnati to conduct an eight days' mission for the 350 boys in St. Vincent's home, and soon after his return here will resume the work in other places where there are similar boys' homes.

GOOD FOR WINN.

Col. Matt J. Winn, manager of the Louisville Jockey Club, has signed a five-year contract with James Butler, and for that time will manage the Empire track in New York at an annual salary of \$10,000. Col. Winn is also the manager of the Crescent City and City Park tracks at New Orleans, and from all his compensation will be not less than \$40,000. This is much better than being a member of the Board of Public Safety.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

Late News That Will Interest Members Here and Elsewhere.

Owensboro Council will hold an initiation in September.

The two Milwaukee councils are being urged to unite in the leasing of new club rooms.

Commodore Barry Council of New York City opened its fall social season Tuesday night with a shirtwaist dance.

The members who attended the outing last week at Fern Grove all report themselves as having had an enjoyable day.

Andy Kast is looking for the Knight that gave him the cigar on the excursion. Brother Kast has fully recovered.

That was an eloquent and feeling tribute paid the late James J. Fitzgerald by Thomas Walsh at the meeting of Louisville Council this week.

A large class will be initiated into the principles of Columbianism and a jubilee banquet will be served at Fort Wayne, Ind., on September 25.

"Bob" Watson, of the Louisville council, narrowly escaped injury at the picnic in attempting to umpire a ball game between the tailors and undertakers.

When the cornerstone of the Sacred Heart church was laid at Boulder, Col., the Knights of that city attended in a body and assisted Bishop Matz.

Conception Council of Jersey City held a summernight's festival Wednesday at Schuetzen Park, the entertainment being declared the best ever given there.

State Deputy Martin, of Wisconsin, has been authorized to arrange a lecture course for all the Wisconsin councils this fall and winter. A fifty cent per capita tax has been levied to meet the expense.

FONTAINE FERRY OFFERING.

Fontaine Ferry Park will offer its patrons another splendid line of attractions next week. The new vaudeville bill booked for Hopkins' Pavilion, it is declared, will alone be well worth a trip to the park "beautiful." Great preparations have been made by the management for the celebration of Labor day next Monday. Among the star features planned will be the grand display of fireworks in the evening. It will be given as a free attraction and the management declares that it will be one of the most magnificent and costly pyrotechnic exhibitions ever given in Louisville. Cook's Band and Miss Emma Partridge, the favorite vocal soloist, will continue in the free concerts during the coming week.

SEASON ENDS TUESDAY.

The White City will close its gates for the season next Tuesday evening, September 2. Although starting under a handicap of bad weather, the park gained in popularity throughout the summer and will close with a successful season to its credit. The feature Sunday afternoon and evening will be a Teddy bear carnival. Prizes will be offered for the most striking bears. Between the hours of 2 and 2:30 and 8 and 8:30 in the evening there will be a "hunt" for the couple who will marry at the top of the chutes' slide on Monday night at 9 o'clock. Ten dollars in gold will be given to the person finding them both afternoon and evening.

THEATERS.

With next week the theatrical season will be in full blast, all the local houses but one being then open. Macauley's will present Al Field's minstrels with a Labor day matinee. The Mary Anderson will open its doors Monday afternoon and give two high class vaudeville performances daily. "Just Out of College," George Ad's newest comedy, will be the Maxine Theater offering. This is said to be fully as good as any of the comedies seen here at high prices.

DANCE AT FERRY.

This is the newsboys' day at Fontaine Ferry Park, and the dance that will take place tonight for their benefit will be managed by Messrs. Louis Keiffer, Clarence Nevins, Roy Campbell and other members of the Non-Parial Club that was so popular several years ago.

TITLE FOR MRS. RYAN.

Information has reached New York from Rome that Pope Pius X. has bestowed the title of Countess on Mrs. Thomas F. Ryan, wife of the well known financier, in recognition of her charities and benefactions to the church. The title, it is understood, was bestowed last December, but the fact did not become publicly known until now. Mrs. Ryan's gifts to the church and to charity, it is stated, ran into millions.

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POPULAR MANAGER.

John Shaughnessy, formerly engaged in the hotel business at Madison, Ind., and popular with the traveling public, has accepted the position of assistant manager at the Galt House and the first of the week entered upon his duties. Manager Shaughnessy has a wide acquaintance throughout Indiana, Ohio and Kentucky and the Galt House management may congratulate itself upon securing for the position a man of his experience and ability.

STATE FAIR WEEK.

The time and place for holding the Kentucky State Fair were definitely settled this week. Through the good offices of President Grainger and Manager Winn the State Board of Agriculture have secured Churchill Downs for six days and nights, beginning September 16. From this time forward not a moment will be lost and every arrangement will be made for the biggest and best fair ever held in Kentucky.

MANY PRIZES.

A large and varied amount of handsome prizes have been secured by the ladies of St. Aloysius' church, of Pewee Valley, for the euchre which is to be given at the residence of Mrs. C. D. Graham next Wednesday afternoon and evening. An elegant supper will also be served in connection

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